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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
 PAUL F. COTE, *ET AL.*
 Serial No.: 09/882,748
 Filed: June 15, 2001
 For: SECURITY DEVICE HAVING
 MULTIPLE SECURITY
 DETECTION FEATURES

) Group Art Unit: 2635
) Examiner: Benjamin C. Lee
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b)(3)

Assistant Commissioner
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b)(3), the following United States patents

(copies of which are enclosed) are submitted to the Examiner for consideration:

U.S. Patents

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Inventor</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>
4,044,231	Beck <i>et al.</i>	08/23/1977
4,183,989	Tooth	01/15/1980
4,446,204	Kaule <i>et al.</i>	05/01/1984
4,511,616	Pitts <i>et al.</i>	04/16/1985
4,584,529	Aoyama	04/22/1986
4,631,222	Sander	12/23/1986
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4,652,015	Crane	03/24/1987
4,869,778	Cote	09/26/1989
4,943,093	Melling <i>et al.</i>	07/24/1990
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5,016,919	Rotond	05/21/1991
5,042,842	Green <i>et al.</i>	08/27/1991
5,043,201	Cote	08/27/1991
5,093,184	Edwards	03/03/1992
5,112,672	Kaule <i>et al.</i>	05/12/1992
5,113,062	Fujita <i>et al.</i>	05/12/1992
5,190,318	Mantegazza	03/02/1993
5,196,681	Mantegazza	03/23/1993
5,265,916	Coe	11/30/1993
5,279,403	Harbaugh <i>et al.</i>	01/18/1994
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5,394,969	Harbaugh	03/07/1995
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5,543,911	Jeffers	08/06/1996
5,545,885	Jagielinski	08/13/1996
5,583,631	Lazzerini	12/10/1996
5,599,047	Kaule <i>et al.</i>	02/04/1997
5,601,931	Hoshino <i>et al.</i>	02/11/1997
5,614,824	Dames <i>et al.</i>	03/25/1997
5,639,126	Dames <i>et al.</i>	06/17/1997
5,697,649	Dames <i>et al.</i>	12/16/1997
5,786,587	Colgate, Jr.	07/28/1998
5,803,503	Kaule <i>et al.</i>	09/08/1998
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6,146,773	Kaule	11/14/2000



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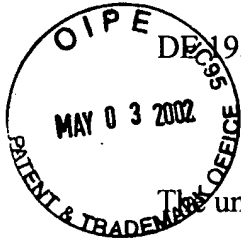
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The following German reference (copy of full-text reference enclosed along with a copy of an English language abstract) is submitted to the Examiner for consideration:

Foreign References

<u>Application/ Patent No.</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Patentee</u>	<u>Publication/ Grant Date</u>
DE 195 48 528 A	Germany	Giesecke & Devrient GmbH	06/26/1997



The undersigned hereby submits that Applicant's knowledge regarding the contents of DE 195 48 528 A is limited to that contained in the attached English-language abstract for this reference.

Printed Publications

Tucker, Richard, "Portals and Tagsa make their mark in secure labels", (article source and date unknown).

De La Rue Holographics Ltd., "The Mark of Authenticity" brochure, Designed and Produced by Osprey RMA, Hampshire, England (date unknown).

Applicant is unaware of art any more pertinent to the above-identified application than the references cited above.

A "List of Prior Art Cited by Applicant" (PTO Form SB/08A) is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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